Delivery mode
Online course. Internet access essential. Online lessons are delivered through the EQ web conference.

Time commitment
Students enrolling in this subject are required by the Queensland Curriculum and Assessment Authority to engage for a minimum of 55 hours each semester in order to attain credit and maintain OP eligibility.

Students are required to participate in online class lessons which will run for up to 60 minutes twice each week.

In addition to the online lessons, students are required to complete tasks set by the teacher for a further minimum 110 minutes.

Prerequisites
Students studying Economics are required to be studying QCCA Board English and whilst a minimum of C in Year 10 is required, it is recommended that students have achieved a B in English and a Social Science due to high literacy requirements.

Course outline
Year 11
Semester 1
Core Unit Markets and Models
Elective Unit Share Market
Semester 2
Core Unit Contemporary Microeconomic Issues
Elective Unit Population

Year 12
Semester 3
Core Unit Contemporary Macroeconomic Management
Elective Unit Income and Wealth Distribution
Semester 4
Core Unit International Economics
Elective Unit Environment

Assessment
Diagnostic assessment is undertaken for each topic studied.

Summative Assessment is used for reporting and for exit Level of Achievement determination if a student exits the course prior to the end of Year 12.

Only Year 12 assessment tasks are used to determine the Exit Level of Achievement at the end of Year 12.

Assessment criteria are:
1. Knowledge and Understanding
2. Investigation
3. Synthesis and Evaluation

These criteria, which include short response tests, assignments and essays, are used in all assessment instruments.

Requirements
- computer headset with microphone
- access to Microsoft Office
- internet access essential
- CD/DVD access essential

Textbooks
Year 11
Earlier editions are unsuitable.
ISBN 978 14425 3482 7

Year 12
Earlier editions are unsuitable.
ISBN 978 1 4425 3483 4

NOTE: Textbooks must be purchased by students. Textbooks are NOT supplied by the school.

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